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TO AN ORDER OF THE HOUSE OF COMMONS, dated the 25th January, 1911, calling for a statement showing:—

- (1) How much wheat was exported from Canada for the crop years ending August 31, 1908, 1909 and 1910.
- (2) How much wheat was exported from Canada through United States ports during 1908, 1909 and 1910, naming said ports, and amount exported from each port.
- (3) How many terminal grain elevators are there at Port Arthur and Fort William, and what is the name of each.
- (4) How much grain was shipped through each elevator at Port Arthur and Fort William during each year 1908, 1909 and 1910, and what are the names of the elevators, respectively.
- (5) How much wheat was exported from Canada during each crop year 1908, 1909 and 1910, not passing through the terminal elevators at Port Arthur and Fort William.
- (6) How many men are employed by the Government in connection with the terminal elevators at Port Arthur and Fort William, and what is the total salary paid the men per year.

CHAS. MURPHY,
Secretary of State.

STATEMENT showing amount of Grain exported from Canada during 1908, 1909 and 1910.

- Q. 1. How much wheat was exported from Canada for the crop years ending August 31, 1908, 1909 and 1910?
- A. 1. 1908—39,591,383 bushels.
- 1909—45,879,058 “
- 1910—52,298,646 “
- Q. 2. How much wheat was exported from Canada through United States ports during 1908, 1909 and 1910, naming said ports, and amount exported from each port?

	1908. Bush.	1909. Bush.	1910. Bush.
Baltimore..	88,432	465,773	1,801,294
Boston..	7,687,745	7,420,969	8,012,253
New York..	4,333,115	5,100,117	5,911,085
Philadelphia..	2,473,284	5,690,749	4,995,553
Portland..	5,186,129	4,809,880	6,409,286
Total..	19,768,705	23,487,488	27,129,471

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Q. 3. How many terminal grain elevators are there at Port Arthur and Fort William, and what is the name of each?

A. 3. Fort William—

	Number.
Canadian Pacific Railway.. . . .	3
Empire Elevator Company.. . . .	1
Consolidated Elevator Co.. . . .	1
Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd.. . . .	1
Western Terminal Elevator Co.. . . .	1
Grand Trunk Pacific Elevator Co.. . . .	1
Black & Muirhead.. . . .	1
Davidson & Smith.. . . .	1
Total.. . . .	10

Port Arthur—

Port Arthur Elevator Co., Ltd.. . . .	2
David Horn & Co.. . . .	1
Thunder Bay Elevator Co.. . . .	1
National Elevator Co.. . . .	1
Total.. . . .	5
Grand total.. . . .	15

Q. 4. How much grain was shipped through each elevator at Port Arthur and Fort William during each year 1908, 1909 and 1910, and what are the names of the elevators, respectively ?

Crop Year, 1908.		Total Grain.
Name of elevator—	Bush.	
Canadian Pacific Railway.. . . .	22,360,510	
Empire Elevator Co.. . . .	8,858,508	
Consolidated Elevator Co.. . . .	6,769,568	
Total—Fort William.. . . .		37,988,586
Port Arthur Elevator Co.. . . .	30,387,270	
Jas. G. King & Co.. . . .	2,990,826	
Total—Port Arthur.. . . .		33,378,096
Grand total.. . . .		61,366,682
Crop Year, 1909.		
Canadian Pacific Railway.. . . .	27,511,990	
Empire Elevator Co.. . . .	10,392,207	
Consolidated Elevator Co.. . . .	7,306,976	
Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd.. . . .	5,435,934	
Total—Fort William.. . . .		50,647,107
Port Arthur Elevator Co.. . . .	24,119,283	
Jas. G. King & Co.. . . .	2,999,201	
Total—Port Arthur.. . . .		27,118,484
Grand total.. . . .		77,765,591
Crop Year, 1910.		
Canadian Pacific Railway.. . . .	29,079,118	
Empire Elevator Co.. . . .	12,019,973	
Consolidated Elevator Co.. . . .	8,554,543	
Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Ltd.. . . .	7,873,114	
Western Terminal Elevator Co.. . . .	3,587,419	
Black & Muirhead.. . . .	254,740	
Total—Fort William.. . . .		61,368,907
Port Arthur Elevator Co.. . . .	29,354,966	
Jas. G. King & Co.. . . .	3,423,009	
Thunder Bay Elevator Co.. . . .	6,212,614	
Total—Port Arthur.. . . .		38,990,589
Grand total.. . . .		77,765,591

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Q. 5. How much wheat was exported from Canada during each crop year 1908, 1909 and 1910, not passing through the terminal elevators at Port Arthur and Fort William?

A. 5. 1908—1,350,340 bushels.

1909—1,325,100 “

1910—3,542,190 “

Q. 6. How many men are employed by the Government in connection with the terminal elevators at Port Arthur and Fort William, and what is the total salary paid the men per year?

	No. of Employees.	Salaries.
Fort William.. . . .	96	50,714 45
Port Arthur..	10,566 50
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DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND COMMERCE,

OTTAWA, February 6, 1911.

